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Berlin, May 20, 20:00

Akademie der Künste, Plenarsaal

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Annie Proulx is often described as a chronicler of American provincial life. She started out as a journalist before publishing her first book *Heart Songs and Other Stories* in 1988. She received all major literary prizes in the U.S. for her novels and short story collections, among them: The PEN/Faulkner Award, 1992, for *Postcards*, the National Book Critics Circle Award, National Book Award, Chicago Tribune Heartland Prize, and Irish Times International Fiction Prize, all 1993, and Pulitzer Prize for fiction, 1994, all for *The Shipping News*; the Dos Passos Prize for Literature, 1996, for *Accordion Crimes*; the National Magazine award, 1998, and O. Henry Prize, both for *Brokeback Mountain*; the award for fiction, New Yorker, 2000, for *Close Range*:



Wyoming Stories; the Best Foreign Language Novels of 2002/Best American Novel Award, Chinese Publishing Association and Peoples' Literature Publishing House, 2002, for *That Old Ace in the Hole*. Annie Proulx is author of the short story *Brokeback Mountain* which, in its 2006 film version, received four Golden Globe awards and three Oscars.